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GERMANS TAKEN PRISONER IN CLASHES WITH AMERICANS ALONG THE LORRAINE LINE

**NEW YORK AVIATOR
WHO ROUTED GERMAN
IN AERIAL BATTLE**

A black and white portrait of a man wearing a fedora and a suit with a bow tie. The man is looking directly at the camera with a serious expression. The image is framed by a thin black border. Below the portrait, the name "W. H. TAYLOR" is printed in a bold, sans-serif font.

FLYERS OF AMERICA
AND FRANCE BOMBING
THE GERMAN POSITIONS

Operations Being Carried Out on a
Large Scale—120 Machines
Up at Once.

ON THE FRENCH FRONT IN FRANCE, May 22 (Associated Press).—American air squadrons have been engaged, in participation with the French, in bombing operations behind the German lines.

These operations are being carried out on a very large scale. At one time recently 129 Allied machines were flying at the same moment in bombing work.

**\$30,165,960 MORE ASKED
FOR USE OF THE NAVY**

Daniels's Estimates Include \$11,000,000 for Training Camps and \$5,533,500 for Shells.

WASHINGTON, May 27—Additional requests for naval appropriations during the next fiscal year totaling \$3,165,960 were submitted to Congress by Secretary Daniels this afternoon. Daniels' request included \$1,000,000 for constructing and equipping training camps and \$1,500,000 for

The Senate today approved an appropriation of \$145,000,000 for new interest-free warships, an increase from \$48,200,000 over that made by the House.

A sum of \$2,600,000 was appropriated for building a mine depot, a site to be selected by President Wilson. A \$2,500,000 appropriation for constructing a sulfate plant at Indian Head, Md., was made.

The Senate increased the appropriation for ammunition from \$7,000,000 to \$10,000,000, as requested by the House.

**U. S. Shells Fall in Three Waves
Within Gerechamp Wood, Where
Many of the Enemy Are Asleep
—German Patrol Driven Back.**

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE, May 22 (Associated Press).—The following bulletin was issued last night:

"In the course of the reconnaissance combats in Lorraine we captured prisoners. Here and in Woeyre the artillery on both sides showed considerable activity."

The American artillery northwest of Toul launched a sudden and terrific local gas attack upon the German positions and cantonments within the Gerechamp Wood early yesterday. Severe punishment was inflicted upon the enemy—how great is not yet known.

The deluge of American shells fell in three waves, and within a half hour the woods in which it is known many Germans were sleeping had been drenched with a large quantity of poisonous gas.

Northwest of Toul an American patrol traversed the Apremont-Varneville road and found a high tension cable used for charging the enemy wire. They cut the cable and brought back a large section of it. A corporal named Klick, from a New England State, carried out a "personal patrol" late yesterday afternoon. He crawled to the enemy wire to investigate what he thought was a periscope and saw a German step up to the firing trench. Bullets were exchanged, but the American returned safely across No Man's Land.

Capt. David Peterson of Honesdale, Pa., after a long chase, sent down a German two-seater airplane wobbling and diving to the ground in the neighborhood of Chateau Salins to-day. The American aviator pursued the enemy machine for 40 kilometres along the battle line and then chased him 12 kilometres behind the German lines before he succeeded in attacking him from beneath. The German's dive to the ground followed promptly.

AMERICANS DEFEAT GERMANS IN TWO PATROL COMBATS

Lieut. Taylor a Member of the Irish-American A. C.

Lieut. Taylor is well known in sporting circles in Chicago and New York. He was a member of the Illinois Athletic Club and later joined the forces of the Irish-American Athletic Club. The aviator athlete held the National standing and broad jump championship for the years 1915-1916, and had intended to enter the Olympic Games in Berlin in 1916.

Enemy Takes to Cover and Returns Fire,
but Is Quickly Put to Flight.
[AMERICAN REPORT]

**REV. DR. SAVAGE DIES
SUDDENLY; ABOUT TO WED**

Was for Ten Years Pastor of
Church of the Messiah in
New York City.

WASHINGTON, May 22.—The War Department to-day issued the following supplement to Gen. Pershing's report cabled from headquarters in France:

"Last night (Monday) in Lorraine, patrolling was very active, especially on our side. One patrol consisting of one officer and twenty men, exploring a hostile position, gained contact and opened fire on a German patrol of approximately the same size. German patrol took cover and returned fire. Our patrol rushed position, put enemy to flight and captured two prisoners. One prisoner died of wounds after reaching our lines. Our patrol suffered no casualties.

"Later in the night a small hostile patrol attempted to rush one of our outposts but was driven out by rifle fire. One German was killed and his body brought into our lines."

Dr. Savage, who was seventy-seven years old, came here two weeks ago and was to have been married in June to Miss Katharine Jones, of Brockton. He was ill only a few hours.

GERMAN TRENCHES PIERCED AT THREE POINTS BY BRITISH

RACING

Prisoners and a Machine Gun Captured—
German Raiders Quickly Repulsed.
[BRITISH REPORT]

LONDON, May 22.—The following announcement was issued today by the War Office:

"A number of successful raids were carried out by us last night on different parts of the front. In the sector southeast of Arras our troops entered the German trenches at two points, and captured fourteen prisoners and a machine gun. Other raiding parties brought back a few prisoners from the enemy's positions in the neighborhood of Lognon and in the sector between the forest of Nieppe and Metteren.